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A MODERN DAY AYAKASHI FANTASY

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Feelings

Come, I'll beckon you to a dream of ayakashi.

Thank you for waiting!

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FOR THE LATEST INFORMATION

I WAS BORN.
UTSUWA SHRINE
IT SEEMS THAT I'VE BEEN HERE EVER SINCE
AH.
FLOAT
RICE BALL.
FISH.

YUE~
RANCHUU IS CALLING YOU~
HE SAYS YOU'VE GOT TO EAT~
GYO-KURO
SUI-SEN
KEE-MUN.
YOU CAME TO CALL ME?
THANKS
YOU'RE WELCOME
FLOAT

YUE
ARE YOU FEELING OKAY?
step
YES.
I'M FINE NOW
AH, KURO-GITSUNE
step

I SAID I'M OKAY.
IS THAT SO?
YOU CAN REST INSTEAD OF GOING DOWN TO THE TOWN TODAY...
TSUBAKI AND AKIYOSHI WILL BE WAITING FOR ME TODAY
WHEN I WENT DOWN TO THE TOWN FOR THE FIRST TIME RECENTLY,
I MET TWO STRANGE PEOPLE.
TWO PEOPLE WHO SEEMED SPECIAL TO ME
FROM AMONG THE MANY HUMANS.
"SPECIAL", HUH...?
TAP
TAP

COME TO THINK OF IT
AH, OKAY
WELL, SATO-SAMA IS CALLING ME
THE TOWN OF UTSUWA SEEMS TO BE A PLACE SHROUDED IN SHADOW
WHERE AYAKASHI CAN EASILY LIVE...
SEE YOU LATER
OKAY
...I HADN'T THOUGHT ABOUT IT UNTIL NOW,
BUT THERE'S A LOT I DON'T KNOW
YUE?
WHAT'S THE MATTER?
AH,
NOTHING, I WAS JUST THINKING THE WEATHER WAS NICE
MAYBE I'LL GO FOR A WALK WITH MIKO-SAMA LATER?

AH. DO YOU KNOW MIKO-SAMA'S SECRET, YUE?
MIKO-SAMA'S SECRET...?
SHE TOLD IT TO US.
WHAT KIND OF SECRET IS IT?
MOST PEOPLE DON'T KNOW THAT SECRET
YOU SEE.
ONLY HAS EIGHT TAILS
SHE TOLD US, BUT SAID "IT'S A SECRET"
RIGHT NOW, MIKO-SAMA
"RIGHT NOW"?
DIDN'T SHE ALWAYS HAVE EIGHT TAILS?
OF COURSE NOT! FOXES NORMALLY HAVE NINE TAILS.
IT'S COMMON SENSE!
HMM
SO WHY DOES SHE HAVE EIGHT TAILS NOW?

I SEE
THAT WASN'T REALLY MEANINGFUL INFORMATION
WE DON'T KNOW WHY
WHO KNOWS
PHEW
IT'S OKAY
I'LL PREPARE SOME FOOD RIGHT AWAY
YUE-SAMA
ARE YOU FEELING ALRIGHT?
YES, I'M FINE NOW
SORRY FOR MAKING YOU WORRY
THERE ARE LOTS OF MYSTERIOUS THINGS WITH NO EXPLANATION
SWISH
SWISH
THAT'S RIGHT, THAT'S RIGHT
RUSTLE
YUE
DON'T TELL ANYONE THAT WE TOLD YOU MIKO-SAMA'S SECRET
OKAY, OKAY

IS IT OKAY THAT SHE'S MISSING ONE TAIL?
I HAD NO IDEA MIKO-SAMA
HAD A SECRET LIKE THAT.
...THERE'S SO MUCH I DON'T KNOW

The crimson and the light...
The ayakashi
THE SONG I HEARD AT THE FESTIVAL.
...I DO KNOW IT AFTER ALL.
I REMEMBER IT.
This beloved voice.
This name.
Your name is called
by the twilight
AN IMPORTANT SONG I'VE HEARD MANY TIMES..
...MIKO-SAMA...?

HMM?
DID I WAKE YOU?
I WAS TAUGHT IT A LONG TIME AGO
I LIKE IT, SO I OFTEN SING IT TO MYSELF
WHO TAUGHT YOU THE SONG?
EH...
THAT'S A SECRET
HEHE THE PERSON WHO TAUGHT IT TO ME WAS A GOOD MAN
NO... THAT SONG...
?
THE SONG I WAS HUMMING JUST NOW?
..TODAY, IT SEEMS LIKE

I'M HEARING LOTS OF MIKO-SAMA'S SECRETS
HMM? DID YOU SAY SOME-THING?
NO I'VE HEARD THAT SONG TOO.
IT FEELS LIKE A NOSTALGIC.. MYSTERIOUS SONG.
THAT'S RIGHT IT'S A HUMAN SONG, BUT IT STILL ENTICES US.
HUH?
I HEARD YOU WERE ATTACKED BY AN AKU-JIKI AND COLLAPSED YESTERDAY ARE YOU AL-RIGHT?
YES, I'M MUCH BETTER NOW I'M SORRY I MADE YOU WORRY

I'M CERTAIN THAT THE SPIRIT OF THIS LAND IS WILD
BECAUSE MY POWER ISN'T STRONG ENOUGH, THOSE THINGS ARE ABLE TO HAVE THEIR OWN WAY... I'M SORRY, YUE
NO, THAT'S NOT TRUE
WELL, I GOT THE CHANCE TO SEE YOU, SO I'LL HEAD BACK TO THE MAIN SHRINE NOW.
SATO WILL BOTHER ME IF HE FINDS OUT THAT I SNEAKED AWAY
I'LL WALK YOU THERE THEN
WILL YOU?
YES.

THE WEATHER IS GREAT~
IS SOME-THING THE MATTER?
NO, IT'S NOTHING
..YOU REALLY ARE SIMILAR
mutter
A LONG TIME AGO
AA
EH IS THAT SO? I'M KIND OF EMBARRASSED
YOU'VE GROWN INTO A GOOD MAN, YUE
..IT'S NOTHING
huhuh
HUH?

A LONG TIME AGO, THERE WAS ALSO A TIME WHEN I WALKED LIKE THIS, BEING LED BY THE HAND BY SOMEONE ELSE
IT WAS THE FIRST TIME I HAD DONE THAT, AND I WAS SURPRISED
—AT THAT TIME,
I ALSO FELT A COLD SENSATION LIKE THIS
I REMEMBER IT
—MIKO-SAMA
DID YOU LIKE THAT PERSON?

DID SHE PRAISE ME?
THAT'S RIGHT
WELL... I JUST HAD THAT FEEL-ING...
I'M SURPRISED TO HEAR YOU SAY SOMETHING LIKE THAT, YUE
hmmm
LIKE?
IT MAY HAVE BEEN LIKE THAT
IF YOU WERE TO THINK OF IT LIKE HUMAN FEELINGS

chatter
YOU MUST CHOOSE ONE OF THEM AND DEVOUR HIM...
THE BOYS YOU MET AT THE FESTIVAL
"HUMAN" FEELINGS...?
YUE.
DO YOU "LIKE" THOSE TWO BOYS?

HUH...
I...

THANK YOU FOR WALKING ME HERE, YUE
AH, OKAY
GOOD LUCK WITH YOUR WORK
RUSTLE
SEE YOU LATER
...HUMAN FEELINGS
HAVING FUN TOGETHER MEANS...

HEHEHE I WAS JUST HAVING A LITTLE WALK
ARE YOU FINISHED DOING ERRANDS FOR SATO-SAN?
YEAH, PRETTY MUCH
KURO-GITSUNE
OH?
WHAT ARE YOU DOING, YUE?
OKAY
I'M SO TIRED FROM HELPING WITH THE CLEANING!
LET'S REST UNTIL WE GO OUT
"HUMAN" FEELINGS,
HUH_?
I DON'T UNDERSTAND THEM AFTER ALL.
SOMEDAY.
I'M SURE I'LL UNDERSTAND THAT FEELING...
TO BE CONTINUED
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"LIKING SOMEONE"?